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PASSIVATION LAYER AND RELATED METHODS

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE
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Sir:

Pursuant to 35 USC § 134, 37 CFR § 41.31, and MPEP § 1205, the Applicant in the above-identified patent application hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated February 26, 2007 at least twice rejecting or finally rejecting claims 28-36.

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☒ Also enclosed: ___Request for PreAppeal Brief Conference _____

☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

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